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SUBJECT: NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

AGENCY INITIATED PERMIT MODIFICATION TO THE

HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY PERMIT FOR

KIRTLAND AIR FORCE BASE EPA ID NO. NMD9570024423

Dear Interested Citizen:

Enclosed is a **Public Notice** for a proposed agency-initiated modification by the New Mexico Environment Department (**NMED**) to the Kirtland Air Force Base (**Permittee**) Hazardous Waste Facility Permit. NMED is announcing the availability of the draft Permit for public comment, and the opportunity to request a public hearing. This permit modification would add corrective measures requirements for SWMU 6-1, Landfill 1 (LF-001); SWMU 6-2, Landfill 2 (LF-002); and SWMU 6-4, Landfills 4, 5, and 6 (LF-008) to the Permittees' Hazardous Waste Facility Permit.

The Permittee is located at the following address: Kirtland Air Force Base, 2000 Wyoming Blvd., SE, Kirtland AFB, NM 87117-5000.

Written public comment or a request for public hearing on the draft Permit must be received no later than **5:00 PM**, **March 1, 2004**. Please refer to the enclosed Public Notice for additional information including submittal of written public comment or a request for public hearing.

Any person seeking additional information regarding this notice or the draft permit may contact:

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Sincerely,

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Enclosure